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RE: Biogenetic Food

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Dear Sirs:

I am horrified and outraged to learn that you persistently put the American public and our ecosystem at risk by refusing to identify any of our food which has been genetically tampered with. I should think corporate "scientists" would have made enough mistakes by now with such products as DDT and many others to lead you to be more rather than less cautious and not then to rush irresponsibly into the unknown, the untested. The fact that you accept manufacturers' claims instead of demanding thoroughgoing independent research is shocking.

I implore you to declare a moratorium on these products until there has been objective, long term, comprehensive testing. In any case we have urgent immediate need to know and be able to choose what is in our food and how it is derived.

Very truly yours,

A.K. Smiley

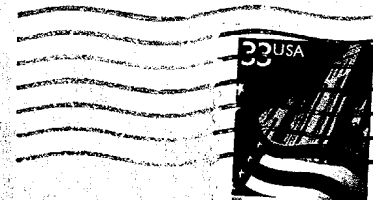


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